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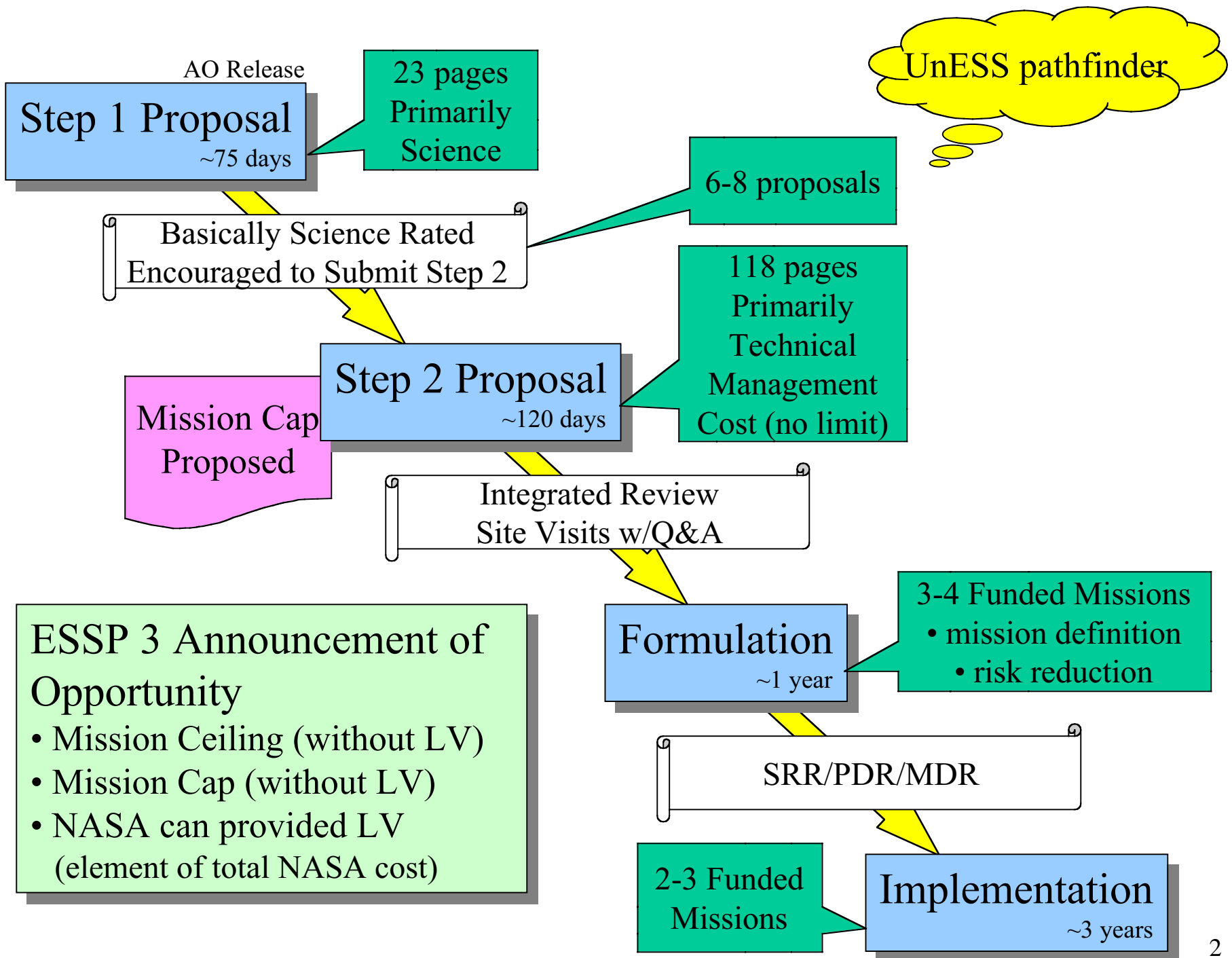


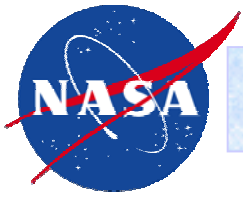
# ESSP Preproposal Conference

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### **ESSP AO-2/AO-3 Improvements**

- Raised the mission cost cap  
--\$125M plus launch vehicle
- Mission cost cap set at Mission Confirmation
- Integrated review/selection process for Step 2
- Step 2 site visit/oral presentation
- 3 year development from MCR